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Title: Heat resistant polyester prodn. - using opt. halogenated organo-tin and trivalent antimony cpds.

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Polyesters are prepd. by polycondensation of bifunctional carboxylic acids glycol ester (I) and/or its low polymer, using trivalent antimony cpd. as the polycondensation catalyst and tetravalent tin cpd(s) of formulae (I), (II) and (III). These are added after the esterification or trans-esterification. The molar ratio of Sn/Sb is 0.005-0.1: (I) is prepd. by reacting bifunctional carboxylic acid contg. chiefly terephthalic acid, or its esterforming deriv. with glycol, contg. chiefly ethylene glycol, or its ester-forming deriv. In the formulae R1 = 1-10C alkyl, cycloalky, aryl or OH; R2 and R3 = 1-10C alkyl cycloalkyl, or aryl; X and Y are halo 1-12C alkoxyl (pref. C2H5O) and Z = halogen (pref cl) R1-3 is pref. C4H9. Halogen is pref. Cl. The polyester has improved colour tone and heat resistance.

The trivalent antimony cpds, are antimony trioxide antimony glycolate, etc. and are used pref. inc oncs. of 0.03-0.1 mol% based on the acid component in the polymer.

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